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Re. Patent Application of:)
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FEE CALCULATIONS (This cover sheet filed in Duplicate)

NON-FEE AMENDMENT: This amendment puts the claim total at 11, with only two being independent. Thus, no extra fee for claiming is required.

FEES FOR TERMINAL DISCLAIMER: Applicant is entitled to the status of Small Entity.

Counsel's check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the Small Entity Fee for the Terminal Disclaimer filed herewith. Kindly charge any shortage and refund any excess to counsel's Deposit Account No. 02-0417.

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NON-FEE AMENDMENT — INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This amendment and records herewith respond to the Office Action mailed
02/24/2004.

The newly revised amendment format, published in the Official Gazette of
February 25, 2003 is being followed for this paper.

The sections filed concurrently start on separate sheets, with the following
identifications:

- A. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS.
- B. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION. (This is for a few words in the
paragraph at the beginning of the application under "Cross-Reference to Related
Applications.")
- C. REMARKS. This closes with counsel's signature.

Plus the following documents appended to the end of the remarks section :

- 1. New original declaration by the inventor correcting the Application Number of the
provisional erroneously recited in the declaration as filed with the application.
- 2. Supplemental Declaration by the inventor to cover the added claims by this
amendment.
- 3. Terminal Disclaimer by owner and inventor.

4-1 and 4-2. Two documents (identified as AK and AL from applicant's parent utility
application, Serial No. 10/113,961 filed 03/29/2002 and referred to by

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applicant's counsel in the Information Disclosure Statement supplied for the subject application (and calling attention to MPEP Section 609). The two references are supplied pursuant to the Examiner's request by telephone.